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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE THE APPLICATION OF: K. Miyazawa, et al.

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GROUP: 1615

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Examiner: S. Howard

TITLE: Microgel And External Compositions Containing The Same

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☐ Small entity status of this application under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously submitted.

☐ A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.

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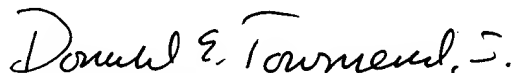
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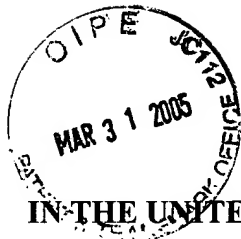
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**AMENDMENT**

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Sir:

Responsive to the official Final Office Action mailed December 28, 2004, in the matter of the  
above-identified application, kindly amend the same as follows: